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1. The Sino-Korean Cultural Association was formed in Chungking during World War II with the aim of promoting Sino-Korean friendship through a mutual exchange of culture. SUN Fo (SUN K'o)并其), then chairman of the Executive Yuan, was elected chairman of the Board of Directors of the Association. Members of the Board of Directors and Supervisors were:

W Trien-chieng (吳 鐵城)

CHU Chia-hua (朱家華)

WANG Hai-kung (王海公)

HU Ch'iu-yuan (胡秋原)

WANG Chu-i (江竹一)

LIANG Han-te'ao (梁寒操)

KIM Kyu-sik (金奎植)

On Tan wi 嚴大衛

SSU-TEU TO (司徒德)

- 2. WANG Hai-kung's Korean name is SIN Ik-hui (** (**)). He was then the Minister of Internal Affairs of the Korean Provisional Government in Chungking, of which the president was KIM Ku (**\frac{1}{2}). This government was entirely financed and controlled by the CC Clique and the Kuomintang.
- 3 KIM Kyu-sik was then the vice president of the Korean Provisional Government in Chungking OM Tae-wi, better known as David OM or OM Hang-sop (), was then the Propaganda Minister and an inseparable companion of KIM Ku.
- 4. After the Japanese surrender, the head uarters of the Sino-Korean Cultural Association was moved to Nanking and branch associations were established in Shanghai and Mukden. Efforts were made to contact the Korean-Chinese Cultural Association (章 中文 (大) (元) in Seoul, Korea; but these efforts apparently failed bacause of the difficulties of communication between the two countries. When Syng-man RHEE (李) visited China in June 1947, the Sino-Korean Cultural Association held a welcome party for him at the Park Hotel in Shanghai. Since that time the insociation has been

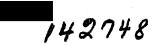
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inactive, but it still officially exists. Moreover, the majority of the leading members seem to have lost interest in the Association.

4. Leading members of the Shanghai Branch of the Sino-Korean Cultural Association are as follows:

Board of Directors:

Chairman:

P'AN Kung-chan (潘 公底)

Members:

SSU-TU Te (司徒德)

II Jo-ch'uan (李若泉)

WANG Chu-1 (江 17 ー)

AN Chẳng-kun (安定根), Korean

24 others

Board of Supervisors:

Members:

WANG Yao-lai (王晓莉)

YI Ch'ong-ch'on (孝 京 天), Korean, former Commander-in-Chief of the Korean Restoration Army: at present in Korea

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13 others

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in Mukden.)

for details on the Sino-Korean Cultural Association

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